STATE OF ILLINOIS HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION

Meeting of Panel A October 23, 2013 9:00 a.m.

Lincoln Land Training Center 130 West Mason Room 104 Springfield, IL 62702

and

James R. Thompson Center Murdock Room - DHS 100 W. Randolph Street, Suite 5-300 Chicago, Illinois 60601

MINUTES

Present: Commissioners

Springfield Marti Baricevic (Panel Chair)

Terry Cosgrove

Chicago Patricia Bakalis Yadgir

Staff Donyelle L. Gray

Evelio Mora

Christine Welninski

Jessica Katlin (Coles Fellow)

Public Michael Novak

Pamela Marzullo (Cart Service provider)

I. Call to Order.

A meeting of Human Rights Commission Panel A was called to order on October 23, 2013 at 9:00 a.m. by Panel Chair, Commissioner Baricevic.

Pursuant to the Illinois Open Meetings Act, 5 ILCS 120/1 et seq., it was determined that:

1) A quorum of the public body was present at the meeting.

II. Consideration of Minutes.

The minutes of the meeting of July 24, 2013, were approved as submitted by staff. Motion made by Commissioner Cosgrove, seconded by Commissioner Yadgir. Motion carried 3-0.

III. Requests for Review

A) #1 Michael Novak #2 Christina Novak v. The State Parkway Condominium Association

Charge No.: 2011CH1299 ALS No.: 11-0742

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Cosgrove, seconded by Commissioner Yadgir. Motion carried 3-0.

B) Alan Laatz v. Elmhurst College

Charge No.: 2011CA0104 ALS No.: 11-0643

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Yadgir, seconded by Commissioner Cosgrove. Motion carried 3-0.

C) David Ortiz v. Board of Education of the City of Chicago

Charge No.: 2011CF0854 ALS No.: 11-0678

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Cosgrove, seconded by Commissioner Yadgir. Motion carried 3-0.

D) Gongyun Xiao v. Dominick's Finer Foods, LLC

Charge No.: 2011CA0633 ALS No.: 11-0680

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Cosgrove, seconded by Commissioner Yadgir. Motion carried 3-0.

E) Rebekah Givens v. Ingalls Memorial Hospital

Charge No.: 2010CF0696 ALS No.: 11-0681

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Yadgir, seconded by Commissioner Cosgrove. Motion carried 3-0.

F) John Rodriguez v. The Kedvale Terrace Condominium Association Charge No.: 2012CH0054 ALS No.: 12-0170

The Panel sustained the dismissal of the charge in the above-referenced matter for Lack of Substantial Evidence. Motion made by Commissioner Yadgir, seconded by Commissioner Cosgrove. Motion carried 3-0.

IV. Motion to Stay

A) Steven Luker v. Decatur Public School District #61 Charge No.: 2007SF1749 ALS No.: S08-0027

The panel voted to grant the Motion in the above-referenced matter. Motion made by Commissioner Cosgrove, seconded by Commissioner Yadgir. Motion carried 3-0.

V. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 9:26 a.m. Motion made by Commissioner Yadgir, seconded by Commissioner Cosgrove. Motion carried 3-0.

Respectfully submitted,

Donyelle L. Gray General Counsel